(a):

Year	Major	Minor
1985-86	1	5139
1986-87		5337
1987-88		6446

(b): (In crores)

Year	Lives lost	Approximate loss
1985-86	121	4.6
1986-87	76	6.3
1987-88	78	5.1

(c):

Month	Major	Minor	High-rise	Lives lost	Approximate loss in lakhs
April, 1988		645	12	9	63.8
May, 1988		856	22	4	78.5
June, 1988		723	22	10	47.0

(d) As on date, there are 171 high-rise buildings and 14 hostels in Delhi without full-fledged fire safety measures. (Lists enclosed). [*See list attached to answer of Starred Question.. (a) to (c) vide .cols.[supra)*] Some the high-rise hotels are also included in the list of high rise buildings. The owners|occupiers of the high-rise buildings were directed to provide necessary fire safety requirements within a period of 3 months. After expiry of the notice period, a fresh survey was conducted with a view to ascertain the compliance with the notices. These requirements have not been fully complied with. Requests are being received from the building owners for grant of extension of time to complete all inbuilt fire safety measures. Notices have been issued by the Chief Fire Officer to the builders/owners to submit their action plans within 30 days.

Utility of Cardamoms to Cure Disorders

@760. DR. G. VIJAYA MOHAN REDDY: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether spices Board have released a Grandma's Book of Home-Remedies regarding utility of Cardamoms to cure disorders, ranging from giddiness and vomiting to stomach-ache, diarrhoea and atomia of the liver; and

(b) whether the claims have been scientifically established after clinical trials, if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. R. DAS MUNSHI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) These are only a collection of a few home remedies.

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761. **श्री शरद यादव** : क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) देश में 1985 से प्रतिवर्ष कितने ऋण मेले लगे हैं और उनकी राज्य-वार संख्या कितनी रही है ;

@Previously Unstarred Question 202, transferred from the 27th July, 1988.